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SUBJECT: MALTA FREE FROM FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE

REF: 75 VALLETTA 0837,

1. THE EMBASSY RECEIVED ON APRIL 26, 1977 AN OFFICIAL NOTE FROM THE MINISTRY OF COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MCFA) COMPLAINING THAT AN EXPORT ORDER OF MEAT PRODUCTS TO THE U.S. WAS LOST BECAUSE THE U.S. DOES NOT CONSIDER MALTA FREE FROM FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE. IN SO DOING, THE MCFA, CITED ARTICLE 94, TITLE 9, OF THE FDA MANUAL (SIC) WHICH EXCLUDES MALTA FROM A LIST OF THOSE COUNTRIES WHICH ARE CONSIDERED FREE FROM THIS DISEASE.

2. MCFA STATES FURTHER IN ITS NOTE THAT "THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE HAD, ON THE 26TH JULY 1975, INFORMED THE FAO, FOOT AND MOUTH COMMISSION, THAT MALTA WAS FREE OF THIS DISEASE" AND THAT IT WOULD APPRECIATE THIS INFORMATION BEING "BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE PERTINENT AUTHORITIES IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WITH A VIEW TO HAVING THE MATTER RECTIFIED WITH THE LEAST POSSIBLE DELAY."

3. ACTION REQUESTED: IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES ARE NOTIFIED OF THE GOM CONCERN IN THIS MATTER. LAINGEN

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